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Rome, February 2, N. S.

THE Cardinals Belluga, Petra, and Corradini, are very dangerouſly ill; and Cardinal Aquaviva, in a Conſultation of Phyſicians, has been declar'd Dropſical. As the Pope was ſaying Maſs in his Chapel of the Quirinal the 27th of laſt Month in the Morning, the Prelate, Boltari, fainted away at his Feet, as did a little while after Father Maccabei, the Pope's Confeſſor. It was with great Difficulty that this laſt was brought to himſelf upon account of his great Age. The Pope, to prevent for the future any Diſputes about the Validity of Contracts, has ſettled Forms, which are to be obſerved from henceforth thro' the whole Eccleſiaſtical State.

Florence, Feb. 9, N. S. General Braitwitz, who was dying laſt Week, is at preſent in a fair Way of Recovery. The Electreſs continues ill, and the Symptoms attending her Illneſs are thought dangerous. Advice has been received that the Marquis Guadagni, Felt Marſhal Lieutenant, who is appointed to command the Army under M. de Traun, in the Service of the Queen of Hungary, is now performing Quarantine upon the Frontiers of the State of Venice. An Edict of King Theodore is ſhewn about here, dated from Bologna the 31ſt of January, in which he recalls, under Pain of Confiſcation of their Eſtates, all the Corſican Subjects that are in the Service of any Princes, excepting thoſe that ſerve in the Troops of the Queen of Hungary and the Grand Duke of Tuſcany, who have leave to continue. Letters from Bologna of the 1ſt Inſtant bring Advice, that the Spaniſh Army being arrived the 2d of February towards the Evening at Caſtel San Giovanni, M. de Gages cauſed his Troops to be refreſhed for the Space of an Hour, diſtributing Brandy and Money to the Soldiers, and afterwards made them continue their March to Crevalcore, where the principal Officers lodged in the Village, and the Soldiers in the open Field, notwithſtanding the great Coldneſs of the Weather. Upon the 3d in the Morning the Army continued their March towards the Panaro, and laid Bridges over it at Campo Santo, which is ſituated between Finale and Buenporto. About Noon all the Grenadiers and a Detachment of the Cavalry paſſed the River, followed by all the Army, which took up the reſt of the Day. General Mac-Donald and the Duke d'Atriſco were ſent out to reconnoitre the Country round about. The firſt had a Rencounter with a Body of Auſtrian Infantry and Cavalry, who retreated in good Order. The Duke engaged a Body of Huſſars, which, contrary to his Expectation, ſtood their Ground, but having cauſed the Regiment of the Queen's Dragoons to diſmount, the Hungarians, after a few Diſcharges of their Carabines, by which a Spaniſh Officer was killed, retreated alſo. The 4th the Army, after having left a Detachment to guard the Bridges, advanced to San Felice near Mirandola. This occaſions a Belief that the Spaniards deſign to march towards Revero to ſeize the Magazines which the Auſtrians have formed there.

Milan, Feb. 12, N. S. Upon the Spaniards having paſſed the Panaro at Campo-Santo, and taken Poſt at San Felice, the Auſtrian and Sardinian Generals immediately aſſembled their Forces, and placed them in Order of Battle between Buenporto and Baſtia; the Spaniards then advanced to Solara, and we have ſince received a certain Account that the two Armies engaged the 8th Inſtant in a general Action, which ended in the Defeat of the Spaniards. We have not yet all the Particulars, but what is written for certain, is, that the Spaniards were obliged to repaſs the Panaro, having loſt a great Number of Men, a whole Battallion of their Walloon Guards taken Priſoners, and two Cannons left in the River. Marſhal Traun had three Horſes ſhot under him. Lieutenant General Count Ciceri was dangerouſly wounded in the Head, and taken Priſoner, but releaſed upon his Parole. The Troops on both Sides fought with great Valour, and the Behaviour of the Piedmonteſe Infantry is particularly commended. Lieutenant General Count d'Apremont, who commanded the King of Sardinia's Forces, was ſlightly wounded in the Thigh. The Numbers of the ſlain and Priſoners on either Side are not yet known.

Baſil, Feb. 17, N. S. We have juſt received the News of a compleat Victory obtained the 8th and 9th Inſtant by the united Forces of the Queen of Hungary and King of Sardinia over the Spaniſh Army commanded by M. de Gages, between Campo Santo and Solara. The Particulars of which are impatiently expected. Letters of the 10th mention, that the Auſtrian and Piedmonteſe Troops were then already advanced fourteen Italian Miles beyond the Field of Battle in purſuit of the Enemy, who continued flying before them.

Ratiſbon,

[Price Two-pence.]

Ratisbon, Feb. 11, *N. S.* The Hungarian Troops, after having put a Garriſon into Swandorf, extending themſelves farther and farther in the Upper Palatinate, the French Garriſon at Stadt-am-Hoff are putting themſelves in the beſt Poſture of Defence; and as that Place by its Situation is ſcarcely fit for it, they reſolved about the End of laſt Week upon converting into a Block-houſe, a Church ſituate directly over-againſt the Mountain of the Trinity, where they have contrived ſome Port-holes for firing upon the Enemy, if they ſhould approach. In the mean time we have no farther Account from Amberg, the Paſſages being ſtopt by the Hungarian Troops poſted at Nitenau and Swandorf; it is however reported, that Amberg is in ſome Meaſure inveſted by the Huſſars; and as it is likewiſe ſaid, that ſome Hungarian Artillery is arrived at Stamſried, a few Days will ſhew what may be the Deſign of Prince Lobkowitz. The Bavarian Subjects make heavy Complaints of the great Oppreſſion they ſuffer from the Hungarian Troops, who at preſent do not uſe them ſo gently as they did laſt Year. Though ſome Weeks ago the Mortality among the French ſeemed to abate, yet the Diſeaſes now rather increaſe again; ſo that at Stadt-am-Hoff they have been neceſſitated to join ſome other large Buildings to the Hoſpitals; and for Fear of an Infection of the Air, they are digging large Ditches 12 Feet deep, into which they throw the dead Bodies, and cover them with Quick-lime and Earth. And at Straubingen, when they have about an Hundred dead, they burn them without the Town. From Nuremberg we hear, that notwithſtanding the Proteſts of Count Cobentzel, the Queen of Hungary's Miniſter, the Magiſtrates of that City have cauſed a Train of Ordnance to be ſent to the Caſtle of Rottenberg for the Emperor's Service. It is alſo reported, that his Imperial Majeſty has likewiſe demanded ſome Artillery of the City of Augsbourg, but it is not yet known what Anſwer will be returned.

Whitehall, February 19.

The King has been pleaſed to tranſlate the Right Reverend Father in God, Dr. Charles Cobbe, Biſhop of Kildare, and Dean of Chriſt Church, in the City of Dublin, to the Archbiſhoprick of Dublin, with the Biſhoprick of Glandelagh united thereunto, together with the Rectory of Gallowne, alias Dartree, in the County of Monaghan and Dioceſs of Clogher, and the Prebency of Deſartmore in St. Finbarge's Church, Corke, and the Treaſurerſhip of St. Patrick's, Dublin, to be held in Commendam with the ſaid Archbiſhoprick of Dublin, and Biſhoprick of Glandelagh, vacant by the Tranſlation of the moſt Reverend Father in God, John, late Archbiſhop thereof, to the Archbiſhoprick of Ardmagh.

The King has been pleaſed to tranſlate the Right Reverend Father in God, Dr. George Stone, Biſhop of Leighlin and Ferns, in the Kingdom of Ireland, to the Biſhoprick of Kildare, and to hold in Commendam the Deanry of Chriſt Church in Dublin, vacant by the Tranſlation of the Right Reverend Father in God, Doctor Charles Cobbe late Biſhop thereof, to the Archbiſhoprick of Dublin.

The King has been pleaſed to promote the Reverend William Cottrell, Doctor in Divinity, and Dean of Raphoe, to the united Biſhoprick of Leighlin and Ferns, in the Province of Dublin, in the Kingdom of Ireland, void by the Tranſlation of the Right Reverend Father in God, Doctor George Stone, late Biſhop thereof, to the Biſhoprick of Kildare.

The King has been pleaſed to grant to the Reverend Arthur Smyth, Doctor in Divinity, the Place and Dignity of Dean of Raphoe in the Kingdom of Ireland, vacant by the Promotion of Dr. William Cotterell late Dean thereof to the Biſhoprick of Leighlin and Ferns, in the ſaid Kingdom.

The King has been pleaſed to promote the Reverend Michael Cox, Maſter of Arts, to the Biſhoprick of Oſſory, in the Kingdom of Ireland, void by the Death of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Anthony Dopping, late Biſhop thereof.

St. James's, February 15.

This Day Baron Utterodt, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Poland, had a private Audience of Leave of his Majeſty; to which he was introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Carteret, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Kt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Leiceſter Houſe, February 16.

This Day Baron Utterodt had a private Audience of Leave of his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales. And afterwards a private Audience of Leave of her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs of Wales; to both which he was introduced by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Kt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, February 18.

This Day Baron de Utterodt had a private Audience of Leave of his Royal Highneſs the Duke. And afterwards a private Audience of Leave of their Royal Highneſſes the Princeſſes Amelia, Caroline, and Louiſa; to which he was introduced by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Kt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, Feb. 18, 1742-3

Whereas in the Night between the Firſt and Second Inſtant, ſeveral Deer were ſtolen out of the Park of Charles Gore, Eſq; at Tring, in the County of Hertford, and ſeveral others were found dead the next Morning in the ſaid Park: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons who committed the ſaid Crime, is pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any one of the Perſons concerned therein, who ſhall diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a farther Encouragement, the ſaid Charles Gore, Eſq; does hereby promiſe a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders. Charles Gore.

A Quarterly General Court of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, will be held at their Office in Dean's Yard, Weſtminſter, on Monday the 7th Day of March next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

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East India House, Feb. 18, 1742.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England Trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice, That the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up on Thursday the 10th of March next, at Two o' Clock; That a Quarterly General Court will be holden at their House in Leadenhall-street on Wednesday the 23d of the said Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon; That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at the said House on Thursday the 24th of the said Month; That a General Court will be holden at the said House on Wednesday the 6th of April next, for the Election of Twenty Four Directors for the Year ensuing; which will continue from Nine in the Morning till Six in the Afternoon of the same Day; after which Time no Lists will be taken in. And that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be opened on Thursday the 7th of the said Month of April.

General Post-Office, London, Jan. 15, 1742

POST CHAISES between London and Harwich.

This is to acquaint the Publick, that the several Post-masters on the Road between London and Harwich, are ready to furnish any Gentlemen, or others, with Post Chaises, safe, easy, and well secured from the Weather, with a Lamp to give sufficient Light in dark Nights, upon as short Warning as for Post Horses, at any Hour, either in the Day or Night. Gentlemen who have Occasion to go Post on the Essex Roads, are desired to apply to Mr. Roberts, Post-master, at the Black Bull in White-Chapel.

N. B. A Post Chaise may be had at any of the Stages on the Harwich Road, to go Part or all the Way, for one or more Stages, for those that do not chuse to travel in the Night.

By Command of the Post-Master-General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

General Post Office, London, July 3, 1742.

Whereas divers Persons, thro' Ignorance or Carelessness, frequently put Letters into the General Post Offices, and the Receiving Houses both in Town and Country, directed on board of Ships, and to Foreign Parts, without paying at the same Time the Postage, as ought to be done; And whereas Letters and Packets are often put into the said Offices with Money and Rings inclosed, and in Fraud of his Majesty's Revenue, divers Person presume to send Letters with false and counterfeit Franks.

This is to acquaint the Publick, that no Letters under any of the Circumstances aforesaid have any Right by Law to be forwarded.

Note, That Letters going out of Great Britain (except to France, Holland, and Flanders) have by the ancient Usage of this Office paid the Foreign Postage, and are required by the Act of Parliament so to do, at the Office in Great Britain where the same are first put in.

Note also, That if such Letters to Foreign Parts are put into any of the Country Offices, the Inland Postage of such Letters to London must also be paid on putting the same into such Office.

By Command of the Post Master General,
George Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

Advertisements.

TO be sold to the best Bidder, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, on Wednesday the 16th of March next, between Four and Six in the Afternoon, A Freehold Estate in Falsthorpe, in the County of Lincoln, of the yearly Value of 200 l. and upwards; late the Estate of Mrs. Margaret Willymott, deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

Dr. *ANDERSON*'s, or, The Famous *SCOTS* PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by D. INGLISH, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inglish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epsom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

WHereas two Advertisements were put into the Gazette of the 11th and 29th ult. in regard to the Estate of the deceased Lieutenant Alexander M'Naughten, late of Colonel Louther's Regiment of Marines, formerly in Jamaica; and as there is a Demand now made from the Administrator of the deceased's Funeral Charges, the Administrator hereby gives Notice to the Major of the said Regiment, or any others indebted to the said deceased's Estate, that if they don't call and settle with the said Administrator, at Messr. Robert and William Feads, Merchants, in the Old Jury, on or before the 10th of March next, Mr. George Crawford, Attorney, has order to prosecute them without further Notice.

THE Creditors of Mr. John Tripp, late of East Smithfield, London, Oylman, deceased, are desired to deliver their respective Accounts and Demands within 30 Days, at the House of Mr. James Clare, Attorney, in Burr Street, London, in order to their receiving their respective Dividends out of the Estate and Effects of the said John Tripp.

TO be sold to the best Bidder, together or in Parcels, on Tuesday the 22d Day of March next, between the Hours of Three and Six in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, before the major Part of the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, lately awarded and issued against Francis William Massey, late of Warwick Lane, London, Apothecary, Two Freehold Messuages or Tenements in Warwick Lane aforesaid, one late in the Occupation of Mr. Samuel Stevens, Distiller, of the yearly Value of Thirty Pounds, or thereabouts; and the other late in the Occupation of the said Francis William Massey, of the yearly Value of Thirty Pounds, or thereabouts: And also two other Freehold Messuages or Tenements in Hosier Lane, London, one late in the Occupation of Robert Elliot, Bitt-maker, of the yearly Value of 9 l. 10 s. or thereabouts; and the other in the Occupation of Joseph Whitamore, Cooper, at the yearly Value of 9 l. 9 s. And also one Leasehold Messuage or Tenement in Gilt-spur Street, in the Parish of St. Sepulchre, London, late in the Occupation of Ford, at the yearly Value of Nine Pounds, or thereabouts. And also two other Leasehold Messuages or Tenements in Knightsbridge in the County of Middlesex, one of which said Messuages is now in the Possession of Williamson, of the yearly Value of Twelve Pounds, or thereabouts; and the other in the Possession of Robert Taylor, of the yearly Value of Seven Pounds, or thereabouts. Particulars of the said several Estates may be had of Mr. Gilbert Jodrell, at his House in Chancery Lane, London.

TO be peremptorily sold, before Henry Montague, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Friday the 18th Day of March next, between the Hours of Five and Seven of the Clock in the Afternoon, Twenty one Acres of Arable Land and Ley Ground; Two Acres and an half of Meadow Ground, and a small Close of Pasture of about half an Acre, situate lying and being in the open and common Fields of Heathencote and Paulers Bury, in the County of Northampton; now in the Occupation of Robert Champion, at the yearly Rent of Ten Pounds; late the Estate of William Cooper, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Edwin Stede, late of Bethersden, in the County of Kent, Esq; deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Thomas Birt, late of Reading in the County of Berks, Mercer, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be sold before Henry Montague, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, Two Farms, one in the Possession of Nathaniel